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NEWARK C. OF C. SCHEDULES TOWN MEETING FEB. 4

A meeting for the discussion of the proposed zoning of Newark, a study of drainage and sanitation system problems of the community and the annual election of officers was held Tuesday evening by the Newark Chamber of Commerce.

It was decided to call a town meeting on Feb. 4 at 8 p.m. for a public discussion of the preliminary zoning plan for the community. The plan, if adopted, would establish districts withing which similar land and building uses would be grouped in residential, commercial or industrial zones. It was pointed out that the zoning does not establish price restrictions nor does it affect the tax rate.

STORM SEWERS NEEDED

County Surveyor Wallace Boggs, unable to attend the meeting, assigned Chief Deputy K. W. Robarts and O. E. Anderson, chief supervising engineer, to meet with the chamber to explain proposed drainage plans to the group. Anderson displayed maps showing how the county engineers propose to erect storm sewers throughout the community to handle excess water. He estimated the cost of the project to be between $50,000 and $65,000.

"No street improvements of any great amount can be made until a proper drainage system has been built," Anderson told the chamber, and predicted that little could be accomplished on the proposed project this winter.

George Coit, chairman of the Union Sanitary District, gave a report on the progress being made on the proposed project of erection of a sewage disposal plant for the district.

COTTON NAMED PRESIDENT

At the annual election of officers Arthur W. Cotton was named president succeeding R. A. Jolly. J. R. Truscott was elected vice-president; R. A. Alberts, secretary; J. E. Pashote, treasurer; and R. A. Jolly, assistant secretary. Named to the board of directors were Frank Veit, G. B. Cotton, R. A. Jolly and H. J. Bolyard. Wes Sears, Fred Melhase and Kenneth Foster were elected to the auditing committee for the new year.

DRIVER HURT AS TRUCK HITS POLE

"Crash Corner," Irvington's dilemna to speeders and truck drivers located in the heart of the business district, claimed another victim this week when Daniel Villaponda of Watsonville crashed his truck into a pole early Monday morning.

Villaponda was driving a large truck loaded with scrap metal and failed to see the corner because of the fog in time to make the turn. He told witnesses that he did not see the large concrete light pole in the center of the street.

He continued straight up the highway and struck the post, the impact sliding the heavy load of metal forward, crushing the cab and pinning the driver against the dash board. He was rushed to the San Jose Hospital in the Dallas Paul ambulance, where it was found he might be suffering from a crushed chest.

Less than a month ago a truck crashed into the building at the same location and shattered a door and window. Workmen have barely finished repairing damage done at that time. A week later a truck loaded with stove wood turned over at the turn.

Coming Events

FRIDAY—
- Basketball, Washington High vs. Campbell, 7:30 and 8:45.
- New Study group of Country Club, home of Mrs. Jack Rees, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY—
- Basketball, Washington High vs. Lincoln High at San Jose, afternoon.
- Lions Club Ladies Night dinner at Country Club house.

WEDNESDAY—
- Niles Congregational Church dinner, 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY—
- High School P.T.A. card party.

HAYWARD MAN IS FATALLY INJURED

Howard Marsh, 362 A street, Hayward, died in the Hayward Hospital Wednesday evening from injuries received when he was struck by an automobile in Alvarado earlier that day.

Marsh, who is employed by the Haines Electric Company of Hayward, was installing a new pump at the General Petroleum Company station at Alvarado when a southbound automobile driven by Ette Knoble, Fresno, failed to complete the turn in the highway and crashed into the station pumps, injuring him. He was rushed to the Hayward Hospital in the Dallas Paul ambulance.

Joe Perez, operator of the station, was knocked against the front of the building by the car but was not injured. Damage to the station was estimated at $1,000.

LAW SUIT FILED IN NILES CANYON DOG KILLING

Dr. F. Donald Gomes, Niles, state meat inspector, was named defendant in a civil action law suit filed Wednesday in the Niles Justice Court with Judge E. A. Quaresma.

The suit, brought by Billy McCown, age 9, through his father, Floyd McCown, Niles Canyon, charges that the defendant "willfully, maliciously, wrongfully and without cause shot and killed a dog belonging to the plaintiff on the day of Jan. 19, 1947."

The suit, filed by Leroy Broun, attorney for the plaintiff, asks $50 damages and $250 for mental pain and suffering caused by the action.

Dr. Gomes has 10 days from the date of the filing of the suit in which to file his answer. At that time a date of hearing will be set by Judge Quaresma.

McCown stated this week that he and his family were away from their home in Niles Canyon during most of Sunday, Jan. 19, and had left their dog, "Jeep" tied in the yard. When they returned the dog was missing and neighbors reported to them that Dr. Gomes had shot and killed a dog believed to be theirs in the Vargas pasture which is near their home.

Dr. Gomes stated Wednesday that he had shot and killed the dog in the Vargas pasture because it was chasing a cow heavy with calf.

MISSION SAN JOSE RESIDENT DIES

Palmida Hortense Mederios, age 53, a native of Irvington, died at her home in Mission San Jose on Monday, Jan. 20.

She was the wife of Manuel Mederios; mother of Mrs. Manuel Azevedo, Niles, and Richard Meledios of Hayward; daughter of Mrs. Flossie E. Gomes, Irvington; and sister of Mrs. Julio Gonsalves, Warm Springs, Joseph Maciel and Manuel Gomes of Niles and John Gomes of Irvington.

A Rosary service was held at the Berge Mortuary in Irvington Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Funeral services were conducted from the parlors of the mortuary Thursday morning at 8:30, thence to St. Joseph's Church in Mission San Jose where mass was said at 9:00 a.m. Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Hayward.

CHIEF BENDEL IS FETED AT DECOTO

Roland Bendel, charter member of the Decoto Fire Department and chief of that organization for more than 20 years, was the surprised guest of honor at a banquet given at Loma Linda Cafe in Decoto last night.

Chief Bendel served as master of ceremonies at the affair believing it was strictly in observance of the 22nd anniversary of the forming of the department. Not until Kenneth Garcia,, representing the fire company, presented him with a monogramed gold watch, chain and knife did Chief Bendel realize that in addition to being master of ceremonies he was also the guest of honor.

Fire chiefs and captains from neighboring city departments were guests at the function.

PLANNING BODY AND PHYSICIANS BACK HOSPITAL

Steps nearer to the attainment of a hospital in Washington Township were taken when the Washington Township Planning Committee met at the high school Tuesday evening. Concern of the meeting was getting support of a bill introduced in the state legislature by Assemblyman Francis Dunn which would enable the formation of a hospital district in the township.

The committee decided to recommend to the County Board of Supervisors that a resolution be passed favoring amendment of the law, which now excludes the formation of hospital districts in counties having more than 200,000 population. Secretary Edward E. Enos wil contact the supervisors in this regard.

NEEDS SUPPORT

It was also voted that the support of township Chambers of Commerce and other civic organizations be solicited in behalf of changing the present law.

Physicians attending the meeting—Dr. E. M. Grimmer, Dr. E. C. Grau and Dr. Merle Buehler—stated they would ask the endorsement of the Alameda County Medical Association of the desired change in the law.

The doctors reiterated the dire need in the township for a hospital—a necessity in the interest of the protection of public health.

HOSPITAL SIZE

Dr. Merle Buehler cited the recognized figure, quoted by Governor Earl Warren in his address to the present session of the state legislature, that 4.5 hospital beds are needed per 100 population. With an approximate population of 16,000, Washington Township would thus appear to need a hospital of about 70 beds. This need, however, is somewhat alleviated by the proximity to metropolitan hospitals to the north and south. It was agreed that, if and when the present hospital district act is amended, a survey of the township's hospital need be undertaken by the planning committee.

In the absence of an elective quorum Tuesday, present officers will be continued until the next quarterly meeting of the committee. Officers are: Chairman L. R. Batman, secretary, Edward E. Enos.

JUNIOR CHAMEBR NAMES OFFICERS

Members of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce, meeting at the International Kitchen last week, nominated officers for the election to be held at the next session at the conclusion of the current membership campaign.

The nominating committee selected Harry Cesari for president; John M. Hansen, vice-president, and Jack Parry and Vernon Ellsworth for re-election as treasurer, and secretary, respectively.

Named to the board of trustees were Jerry Sletten, George Bonde Jr., Glen Moorehead, L. W. Harrison, Lawrence Pine and Edward Enos.

The Junior Chamber, considering re-entering membership in the state and federated chambers, had as its guest at the meeting Floyd Benson of Modesto, state Junior Chamber of Commerce extension chairman, and Hal Gardner of San Jose, leadership chairman of the state organization.

REGISTER ADDS NEW SERVICE

All newspapers have great ideas of expansion with dreams of adding new departments and features but hardly to the extent of adding a new responsibility such as was taken on by The Register this week.

Yes, we've done it—added a maternity ward!

An expectant mother seeking for a place to which her offspring could point with pride as their birthplace selected the space under the floor of this office for the blessed event. As a result, this issue was written and published under the handicap of a constant din of whines and yapping of the young puppies.

KINDERGARTEN FOR NILES SCHOOL

If all goes according to schedule, Niles grammar school will be boasting next year that it has a kindergarten.

This week John J. Donovan, school architect, met with the board of trustees and plans for a three-room addition to the school were discussed. This would make it possible to house kindergarten students. And since Amendment No. 3 was passed, the funds for a teacher would be made available.

If present plans go through, the new addition would be on the east wing of the school.

Another meeting is pending with the state architect of the department of education. It is hoped that the classrooms will be ready by fall.

TIMOTHY O'NEILL SERIOUSLY HURT

Timothy O'Neill of Irvington, who is in the insurance business in San Francisco, was seriously injured in an accident last Saturday, Jan. 18, in Yosemite Park, when a toboggan he was riding struck an obstruction.

A verterbra in his lower back was broken. After the pain subsides, O'Neill will be put in a cast. He is now at Memorial Hospital in Yosemite.

O'Neill can be brought back by ambulance in a week or ten days but, according to Mrs. O'Neill, must remain in bed for several months.

He is an instructor in square dancing in evening classes in Niles and Irvington. Mrs. O'Neill conducted his class in Niles on Monday evening and is being accredited so that she can take over his work during his convalescence.

Mrs. O'Neill left Wednesday night for Yosemite to visit her husband.

COLLISION IN FOG INJURES V. LEAL

Vernon Leal, Irvington grocer, received painful facial injuries in a head-on automobile collision on the San Jose highway south of the Alameda County line early Tuesday morning.

Leal, riding alone in his station wagon, headed toward San Jose, reported he was following a large truck and driving slowly because of the heavy early morning fog. When he reached the three-lane portion of the highway he pulled out into the middle lane to pass just as another car approaching from the opposite direction also pulled into the passing lane. The cars struck head-on. Before Leal could get out of his wrecked machine a truck roared down the highway and crashed into the wreckage.

He was taken to the San Jose Hospital and treated for cuts about the face suffered when his head struck the steering wheel. X-rays revealed no broken bones. He returned to his home in Irvington that evening.

Mrs. George Jones of Sacramento, mother of Mrs. Leal, has arrived in Irvington to care for Vernon while Mrs. Leal continues the operation of the store.

CENTERVILLE MAIL ROUTE BIDS OPEN

Bids for the operation of the Oakland-Centerville "Star Mail Route" are now being accepted by the Post Office Department in Washington, D. C., it was announced this week.

Details regarding the route, which operates between Oakland and Centerville via San Leandro, Hayward and San Lorenzo, may be obtained at the Oakland post office.

NILES STUDENTS MAKE $25 FOR MARCH OF DIMES

The pupils of the Niles Grammar School are proudly announcing this week that they netted $25 at their March of Dimes dance last Friday night. The proceeds, of course, will all go to the March of Dimes.

Those on the committee who helped to make the affair so successful were Shirley Pasch, Margaret Cole, Shirley Neighbors, Vivian Pine, Gerry Duarte, Mary Barton, Richard Maria, Leon Musgrove, Jack Hansen and Stanley Borba.

IRVINGTON PLANT PRODUCTION LINES NEARS READINESS

The Occidental Stove Company's Irvington plant will be in production by March 1 and probably by Feb. 15.

A statement to this effect was made this week by Harry Jones, superintendent of the plant, who is now supervising the work of replacing the equipment removed from the building when the Navy took over the plant during the war.

Jones reported that the assembly lines are nearing readiness to begin operation, with workmen making final tests on the equipment this week.

The office staff is expected to be transferred to the Irvington plant from the company's Los Angeles office on March 1, but Jones stated that production would begin before that date if the plant is ready and the first shipments of steel arrive on time.

This plant is expected to equal its pre-war production figure of 35 stoves per day shortly after resuming operation. The stoves are a four-burner kitchen range with a trash burner.

"All former employees will be given priority if they wish their old jobs back," Jones stated Wednesday. He added that persons interested in employment at the plant are now being interviewed at the office. There will be approximately 90 employees when the company swings into full production.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT DISCUSSED

The possibility of combining the Niles and Union Sanitary Districts was discussed this week at a joint meeting of the two boards of trustees.

George Coit, chairman of the Union District, has revealed that early last year the state served notice on all towns and districts that they must make plans for the proper disposal of their sewage. The dumping of raw sewage into the waters of the bay is no longer tolerated under the law. For this reason all districts and cities must erect sewage disposal plants which would chemically treat the sewage, leaving it in a form that could be dumped into the bay.

Coit has reported that the estimated cost of such a plant has been set at $180,000.

After considering various means of raising the cost of the plant, the proposal was made to combine the Union District and the Niles District, which at the present time is annexed to the Union District.

Coit stated that petitions for annexation to the Union District now on file would increase the size of the district by one-third.

The tentative plans for the new plant have been approved by the state board of health. The proposed location of the plant is west of the Westvaco Chemical Company plant in Newark.

LADIES GUILD PLANS A CHURCH DINNER

A get-together dinner for members and friends of the Niles Congregational Church will be held next Wednesday evening, January 29, at 6:30, at the church social hall. The affair is being arranged by members of the Ladies Guild.

An interesting program has been planned.

NO ONE WANTS THE MONEY

Had trouble getting rid of your dollars lately?

A business house in Centerville revealed this week that they had encountered trouble getting rid of nearly $2,000 so they finally ended up taking the money to a nearby city where an exchange was made.

The business house is the Centerville Branch of the Bank of America and the money they had trouble getting customers to accept were bright, shiny silver dollars commonly referred to as "cartwheels."

"The silver keeps collecting and we have trouble getting anyone to accept it in change," a bank official stated.

Centerville C. of C. Hears Incorporation Discussion

No vote on the incorporation of Centerville was made, and it was the general concensus of persons present that none was necessary, when C. W. White, city attorney for Hayward, concluded his talk last Thursday evening on the benefits and handicaps of incorporation.

"Municipal government is good if you want local home rule, but if you have it you have to pay for it," he told the 43 members and guests of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce gathered at the California Inn for a dinner meeting and an open discussion on the topic of municipal government.

BIG PAY ROLL

White pointed out to the group that under municipal government it would be necessary to employ and pay the wages of a city assessor, city clerk, police officers and deputies, building inspector, city engineer and firemen, most of which are duplications of officers now furnished by Alameda county. He added that it would also become the burden of the city to maintain street paving and lighting.

He estimated the cost of municipal government in a town the size of Centerville to be approximately $25,000 to $30,000 per year and pointed out that taxing powers are limited to $1 per $100 valuation unless voted higher by a two-third majority of the people of the community. County and school taxes would be paid in addition to this taxation.

White ended his talk with the question: "Is there anything that you could get through municipal government that you don't have now?"

WOULD BE SIXTH CLASS

Following his talk White was quizzed by some of the businessmen present. One question was, "What percentage of cost of government can be raised out of licenses and fines?"

White estimated that approximately 20 per cent could be raised in this manner and stated that a city of the sixth class, under which Centerville would fall if incorporated, is allowed to license for revenue within reason. He added that, in his personal opinion, that method of taxation is a nuisance.

Asked the amount of city tax in Hayward, White, who has been attorney for that city for the past 32 years, reported a tax rate of $1.40 per $100 during the 1946-47 fiscal year.

L. C. Marriott, president of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce, presided at the meeting.

AMERICAN LEGION HOLDS INITIATION

Thirteen new members were initiated into the Washington Township American Legion Post at Niles Wednesday evening at a special ceremony under the direction of the 40 and 8 of Alameda.

Louis L. Jordan, Tenth District Commander, gave a short talk on the plans for 1947 for the American Legion.

"Visiting firemen" who led the initiation ceremonies included: Al J. Mathebat, acting commander of Alameda Post No. 9; Carl Nystrom, acting post commander of Oakland Post No. 5; John P. Murphy, acting first vice-commander, San Leandro Post No. 117; Art Daniels, second vice-commander of Bill Irwin Post 337; Walter Padelford, chaplain, Montclair Post; Henry Wright, chaplain, Bill Irwin Post No. 337; an Lloyd Kenyon, sergeant at arms, East Oakland Post.

ICE SKATING HERE?—WE'RE NOT KIDDING!

We rubbed our eyes as we came through Niles Canyon one morning this week. Was this really California, or had we been under some peculiar mental strain that had only made us THINK we had been living in California?

The ground was blanketed with a white frost, so thick you could easily have mistaken it for snow. And Alameda Creek, near the train tunnel, was frozen solid from bank to bank! You half-expected ice skaters to come sweeping around from behind the winter-stripped tree trunks.

California? Heck no! California's gone back and joined forces with Florida. Canada, Alaska, and the Arctic Circle have moved in on us.

ALAMEDA COUNTY IN GREATER NEED OF HIGHWAY FUNDS

Alameda County needs the lion's share of highway expenditures in Northern California counties, according to a report to the special session of the state legislature by the Collier Committee, set up to study state highway needs for the next 10 years.

Topping other bay counties, Alameda County needs $139,854,000 for construction of freeways, according to the committee report. Total need for the entire state is $1,458,924,000. This is 10 times the amount estimated by State Director of Public Works Charles H. Purcell as available from existing sources for highway improvement and construction.

COUNTY'S NEEDS

Engineers comprising the Collier Committee advise that Alameda County, during the coming 10 years needs: $96,726,000 for 6-lane freeways; $18,040,000 for 4-lane freeways; $6,198,000 for 4-lane divided highways; and $10,840,000 for 6-lane divided highways.

With the report and other data submitted at the hearing, the committee laid a foundation for its clash with oil and trucking companies over a proposal to increase truck taxes $6,000,000 a year, and boost other road user levies for additional tax revenues totaling $957,000,000.

7879 MILES

The Public Works Department's program contemplates construction or improvement of 7879 miles of roads in the 58 counties. Rural roads would involve expenditure, for all purposes, of $614,144,700; city highways, $84,268,430. There would be an additional expenditure of $472,080,000 on freeways in metropolitan areas.

MISSION SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE TO MEET

A general meeting of the Mission Sesquicentennial Committee has been called for next Wednesday evening, Jan. 29, at the Mission San Jose school house, according to Rev. Renault, chairman.

New announcements concerning the progress of plans will be made at the meeting.

NEWS
from Walt & Ed

Do you have that smooth silky hair and hands your husband loves to touch?

Do you want to do a better wash and save time, say nothing of your back?

Do you want to SAVE fifteen out of twenty packages of soap?

Then call Niles 4453 and our salesman will call at your house with a small portable Norco Water Softener and prove these points to your satisfaction.

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MISSION SAN JOSE NEWS

By LOIS BOTTENBERG

Hi, there, everyone, this is your old correspondent back on the job after eighteen days of a wonderfully fine (but mighty cold and snowy) vacation spent in Corpus Christi, Texas, with my new husband, Glenn Bottenberg, U.S.N. Glad to be back on the job and here to tell you it is a grand and glorious feeling to cross that old Colorado River and know you are back in God's country at last. Thanks to Rosemary Telles for "carrying on" in my absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Cross and family of Redwood City were dinner guests with his mother, Mrs. Elsie Wilcox, here in the Mission on Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Simonson, sister of Mrs. George Murray, arrived to spend several weeks in and around our community, perhaps with a view to maybe living here permanently. She sold her home at Couer d'Alene, Idaho, and went to Perma, Montana, to visit a daughter, and on to Soquel, Calif., where she has been staying at the home of her niece, Mrs. J. Martin.

This past week has been a partying week for three of our young folks and one of our tiny folks too. Donald Awbrey, grandson of one of our local teachers, was host at a birthday party at the grammar school on Wednesday evening. Games and contests were enjoyed by the children as well as the adults. Most of his school class were his guests: Iris, Margie, Marveen and Robert Lofton, Jean and Charles Neeley, Mary Ann McIvor, Elaine Borge, Iris McNemar, Anna and Thor Olsen, Mary Lou Bramwell, Bernardine, Lester and Buddy Semas, Marlene and Nadine Fernandez, Shirley Cunha, Dorothy, Genevieve and Yvonne Davis, Joyce and Jesse McGowan, Nadine Millard, Becky Overacker, Roy and Bobby Tyler, Bob Jibson, Larry Garcia, Stanley and Robert Caires, Albie Santos and David Koelack. Grown-ups who also helped to make his party a success were: Mrs. Hazel Millard, also a teacher at the school, Joseph Borge, Edith Nilmeyer, mother of the host, and son Tommie, Arthur King and Mrs. Edith A. King, his grandmother. Many lovely gifts were received by the host and he wishes to thank Marlene and Nadine Fernandez, Mary McIvor, Jean Neeley and Bernardine Semas for their help in making and serving refreshments.

A double birthday party was held Saturday evening at the grammar school in honor of Miss Cecelia Schneider and Miss Annie Unteidt who both celebrated their fourteenth birthdays on January 18. They received a number of very nice gifts and had a grand time dancing and gaming. The highlight of the evening was a cake eating contest but a very unusual one for the utensils used were not ordinary forks but chop sticks, egg beaters, potato mashers, corkscrews, nutcrackers, etc. Charles Schneider won the contest and for his versatility they presented him with a very "lovely to look at" pie which turned out to be made of creamed onions. What a laugh. Those present were: Elaine and Jackie Borge, Evelyn Richard and Donnie Meyers, Nonie and Weezer Fernandez, Georgia Laughlin, Regina and Carl Schneider, Elaine Neeley and Lester Semas. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Borge were the chaperones.

Erma Weidemann of San Bruno spent the week-end here at the home of her brother, Harold DeMotte, assisting in the nursing of her father, Edgar DeMotte, who has been very ill for the past several months. She returned to San Bruno on Monday morning.

A bit of Post Office news from the Mission San Jose headquarters states that last year's receipts for the year of 1945 were $2,633.70, and the past year of 1946 showed a substantial gain in the amount of $4,031.43, of which we are duly proud, thanks to some of our wonderful supporters.

Dale V. Carithers, foreman of the Mission Hereford Ranch here in the Mission, returned last week from a trip to Denver, Colorado, where he attended the Stock Show and had entries. Says the weather was mild but plenty of snow.

Miss Virginia Lawrence was a lucky young lady on Sunday for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence, gave a duck and chicken dinner in honor of her eighteenth birthday at the family home with Bob Oliveria of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. George Rodrigues and daughters of the Mission, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Amaral of Sunnyvale and daughter Mrs. Rose Rogers of the Mission, and Evelyn Meyers, Marie Lawrence and Ernest Manuel who live at Niles. Then at two o'clock her sister had arranged for a young folks party with hot dogs, sodas and all the rest that young folks like in the line of refreshments, served at six o'clock. Miss Virginia received many lovely gifts from all her friends as follows: Bob Oliveria, George and Mary Rodrigues and daughters; Leonard, Rita and Rosemarie Amaral; her dad and mother, Rose Rogers, Evelyn Meyers, Irene Calderon, Leonard Ferreira, Elaine Neeley, Dan Silva, Nonie and Weezer Fernandez, Ernie Manuel, Richard Meyers, Marlene, Nadine and William Fernandez, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Silva and family. Several not present sent along gifts to the lucky lady.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Burt and daughter, Kathy, left suddenly on Tuesday of last week for Pettit, Mississippi, when they received word that Hardy's brother had passed away very suddenly. They will spend their time at the home of Mrs. Irene Kendall, sister of Mr. Burt.

John and Maude Tallent and son, Leslie, of Sonora are the house guests of the Edwin McNewars. She and Mrs. McNemar, assistant hello girl of the Mission, went to San Jose on Monday to shop and see friends. She is Edwin's sister. Edwin Jr. accompanied them home for a few days.

Joseph (Bud) Telles Jr. is the proud owner of a brand new '47 Ford convertible, and boy what a buggy. He is the envy of all the old jalope owners in the town.

Little Miss Mary Ann Telles, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mary Marvin Telles of Irvington, former Mission residents, was baptised on Sunday, Jan. 19, at three o'clock, by the Reverend Father John A. Leal of St. Joseph's Church. Her godfather was her uncle, Leland Telles, and godmother auntie Anna Stefanoni. Following the baptism, the group went to the Telles home in Irvington and partook of a very delicious dinner. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Art Ferrerra and family of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garcia of Niles; Mrs. Louise Kahn, great aunt of the baby, of Modesto; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Telles of Irvington; Mrs. Rose Telles, paternal grandmother, and auntie Rosemary Telles of the Mission; and Mrs. Alice Stefanoni and Bobbie of Livermore.

A tentative date of January 29 of the Sesquicentennial committee has been set for the next meeting and board members. All will be notified by letter soon.

DECOTO NEWS

By ETHEL AVILLA

Mrs. Manuel White had a birthday last Sunday and to help her celebrate it, relatives and friends alike drove from miles around to be with her, bringing gifts and cheery birthday greetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Soares of the Alvarado highway gave a card party at their home on Saturday night. Following a lively card game, refreshments were served, buffet style. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dutra, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fowler and Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Faletti and Rose Marie. While the card game was in progress, Jean and Rose Marie were entertained by Loretta and Leroy, children of the hosts.

Walter Duran and Darlene Martinez eloped to Reno and were married Jan. 4. They have just returned from a honeymoon spent in Los Angeles and San Diego.

Excitement reigned at the home of Mr. and Mrse. Louis Fine Saturday afternoon, Jan. 18, for before the fireplace in the spacious living room, Mary Monte and Edward Blair Jr. were married in a double ring ceremony with Judge Quaresma officiating. Large arrangements of white stock and chrysanthemums decorated the fireplace and mantle.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Monte and sister of Mrs. Fine of Decoto. She wore a biege suit with brown accessories and a corsage of two white orchids. The maid of honor, Lorraine Campi of Oakland, wore a salmon pink suit and she too wore orchids.

The benedict is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blair of 5924 Holway street, Oakland. Doing honors as best man was Tom Ziengenfuss of Bridge street, San Leandro.

The bridal party and their families, 26 in all, sat down at the dinner table at six o'clock to enjoy the wedding feast. The table was indeed beautiful for the immense four tiered wedding cake was the centerpiece, surrounded with maidenhair fern and flanked on either side with candelebra.

The newlyweds will not go on a honeymoon now but plan on taking an extended vacation next summer. They will probably make their home in Alameda.

ASK FOR LIGHT AT INTERSECTION

A letter asking that an intersection light be installed by the county at the intersection of the Niles-Hayward highway and Duarte avenue was sent to the county offices this week by residents of the area.

The letter advises the county supervisors that the intersection is not only difficult to locate at night but is a hazard to cars turning into and out of Duarte avenue and to passengers getting on or off buses there.

Thinking Things Over . . .

By VIVIAN BATMAN

Well, au revoir, all you nice people. They have given me a leave of absence here. So now I will again take up the doubtful pleasure of being a housewife and promote the general welfare of Batmans' Bouncing Boys. Let me say that (1) I am NOT going to have a baby; (2) I am NOT going to get a divorce from the editor; and (3) I am NOT having a nervous breakdown, although it wouldn't be at all surprising (ask anyone who works on a newspaper.)

You have been very, VERY nice, readers, and extremely cooperative. Now will you continue to be cooperative? All you have to do is to give your social items and general news to Mrs. Grace Blade who is taking my place here in the office.

Mrs. Blade, whose husband is an electrical engineer, lives in Sunol. She has had a most interesting life, having lived for 18 years on a boat on the Atlantic. She and her husband wintered off the shores of Florida, and summered off New England's shores. Her experiences have been as exciting as they are varied.

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY DINNER IS PLANNED

Members of the St. Jude Institute No. 163, Y.L.I., of Irvington will hold a dinner meeting Wednesday, February 5, in observance of their fifth anniversary. The meeting will be held at Vilela's Play Haven in Irvington. Mrs. Jack Misener is in charge of arrangements.

MEN OF LABOR

By JOHN M. HANSEN

CARPENTERS LOCAL 1622

President Eric Hoyer, Vice-President J. J. Casey, ex-President Ed Kelso and Business Manager Chas. A. Roe, were chosen to represent Hayward at the Carpenters' Convention at Redding, Calif.

GLASS BLOWERS LOCAL 141

Secretary-Treasurer Miss Ruth Sullivan was entertained last week by Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ryder of Hayward.

CONSTRUCTION AND GENERAL LABORERS LOCAL

Business Manager Geo. W. Gibbs and Mrs. Gibbs were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Roe of Hayward.

LOCAL 137 OF GLASS BOTTLE BLOWERS

Brother Merle Snow of Sycamore Road, Pleasanton, a member for 12 years, has built a swell farm on two acres. He should have been a builder. His little lady deserves credit also.

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Sportsmen's News

The access to public lands bill now before the California legislature was given the "full speed ahead" signal this week by the Associated Sportsmen of California.

Following its scheduled State Council meeting at Sacramento last Sunday, President Gus Gustafson said he had been instructed to urge the Assembly and Senate with all the power he could command to pass an act which would give sportsmen the right to gain access to publicly owned lands now prohibited by private owners of surrounding areas.

A bill now being presented to the legislature would give the state director of natural resources the right to obtain easements over private lands in order to reach public lands owned either by the state or national governments.

Easements would be by contract or purchase or as authorized under the Code of Civil Procedure. Costs, including building of fences or other necessary items would be met out of the fish and game preservation fund.

CALIBER LIMITATIONS

Other bills being given support by the Associated Sportsmen of California include: One which would make it unlawful to possess in the field any automatic loading repeating rifle of gauge larger than .22 rimfire caliber capable of holding more than six cartridges at one time in the magazine and chamber combined.

A bill making it unlawful to use rimfire firearms of any caliber in hunting deer.

A bill which would make it unlawful to possess striped bass or parts thereof at any time in any place where meat, fish, poultry or foods are displayed or offered for sale, or in any cafe, restaurant, hotel, bait shop, or in cold storage where perishable foods are kept for sale in a raw, preserved, or cooked form.

DISCUSS REVISEMENTS

The State Fish and Game Commission is scheduled to meet at San Francisco in the State Building Friday and Saturday, Jan. 24 and 25, to hear final arguments on the fishing seasons and bag limits recommendations made at the Los Angeles meeting early this month.

The commission will then announce its final decisions on regulations for the coming year.

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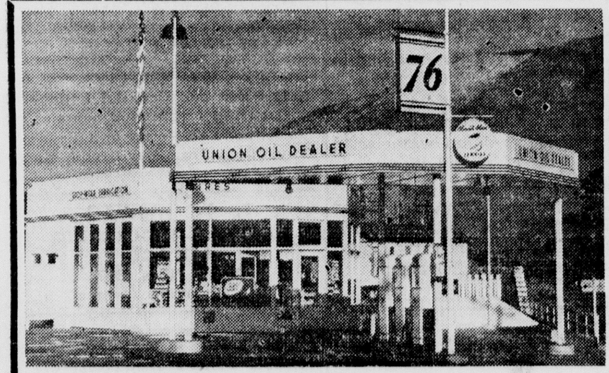

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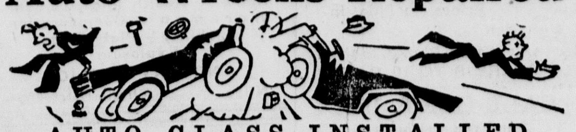

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4 room home on 4 acres. Chicken houses. Irvington $9,500
5 room beautiful new Niles Canyon Heights home..$8,000

INCOME INVESTMENT PROPERTY
2 apartment home in center of Niles. Large lot......$8,500
Home and cabins in beautiful Niles Canyon. Large trees $8,500

FARMS
13 acres. Beautiful buildings. 6 room home. Irvington $15,000
34 acres finest grape land. More available. Sonomo County $6,000
16 acres, 8 acres apricots. Dwelling, barn, farm implements, pickup truck. Family orchard $14,500
78 acres. Very nice buildings and view $26,500
152 acres. Nice home $25,000
87 acres. Prunes and open land. 16 room home. Large buildings. Farming equipment $47,500
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2 acres on highway. Near Mission San Jose $3,750
5 acre retreat. Mission San Jose $6,000
2 acres. Near High School. Reduced to $2,000
2 acres. Thornton Ave. $2,000
48 nearly level acres. Old house. Vegetable land $45,000
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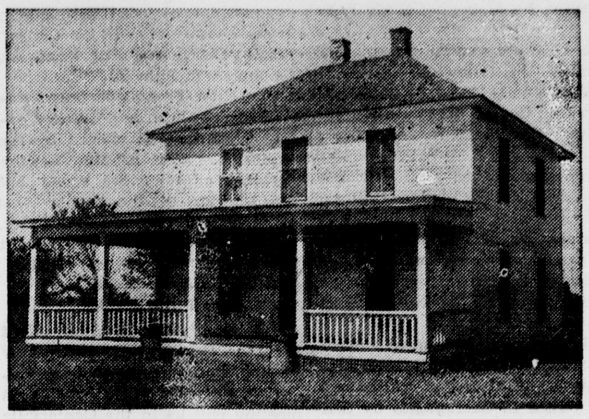
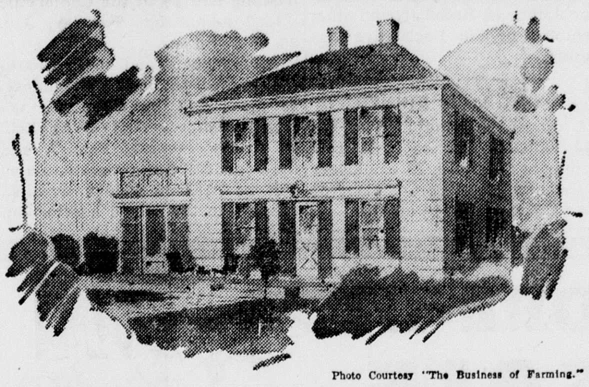
Remodeling in Easy Stages Transforms Old House





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Overall remodeling, rather than patching and repairing, is recommended by contractors as more satisfactory and economical for old houses that are showing their age. Once a planned transformation is adopted, the work can be accomplished in easy steps as the family budget and the availability of materials permits.

The accompanying BEFORE and AFTER pictures illustrate what can be done with the exterior of an old square house. The front porch, which needed extensive repairs and blocked the sunlight, has been removed and replaced with an attractive terrace. The side porch has been retained and enclosed with heavy screen to serve as an outdoor living or dining room.

The roof overhang has been trimmed off and the roof covered with colorful asphalt shingles for beauty and fire-protection. Shutters, painted to match the roof, have been added to the windows, and the modern entrance. The exterior walls have been re-sided and a spacious sundeck provided.

The reconversion program may be extended by enclosing the back porch for a utility room; re-designing the kitchen; installing modern bathroom equipment and building in closets for the storage of linens, out-of-season clothes and other family accumulations.

LEAGUE TILT IS LOST BY HUSKIES

The Washington High School Huskies lost a hard-fought S.C. V.A.L. basketball encounter with the league-leading Mountain View team by a one-point margin, 31-30, on the home court Friday evening.

The Mountain View quintet pulled into a slight lead early in the second quarter and never relinquished that position to the Huskies. Coach Voorhees' lads went into the final period trailing by six points and rallied to within one point of the visitors' score in the last seconds of the game.

BETTER TEAM WORK

The Huskies showed marked improvement in Friday's game, playing together as a team with seven men contributing points to the score.

The "B" team of the Huskies squad won a decisive victory over the visitors, 20-9, in a low scoring game that stood 9-2 at the half-time.

Tuesday afternoon the Huskies entertained the Menlo aggregation on the home court and sent them home stinging from a 62-41 defeat. The Huskies burned the hoops in piling up such a score with Rodrigues. Fraccoli, Nakamura and Querner each scoring more than 10 points.

The "B" team downed the Menlo seconds by a score of 23 to 11.

PLAY CAMPBELL TONIGHT

Tonight (Friday) the Huskies will journey to Campbell for a double-header league encounter. Tuesday afternoon they will meet the Lincoln High School of San Jose. The game is slated to be held at San Jose but in the event a gymnasium cannot be obtained there, the Huskies will be hosts.

SANTA CLARA VALLEY ATHLETIC LEAGUE WEEK'S SUMMARY

VARSITY STANDINGS

	W	L	Pts.	PF	PA
Mountain View	3	0	6	79	69
Santa Clara	2	0	4	69	52
Los Gatos	2	0	4	107	50
Campbell	2	1	4	110	94
Fremont	2	1	4	83	73
Washington	1	2	2	99	86
San Jose Tech.	0	2	0	74	85
Gilroy	0	3	0	42	70
Live Oak	0	3	0	53	125

"B" TEAMS

	W	L	Pts.	PF	PA
Fremont	3	0	6	86	53
Santa Clara	2	0	4	64	33
LosGatos	2	0	4	65	35
Washington	2	1	4	59	48
San Jose Tech.	1	1	2	33	42
Mountain View	1	2	2	54	63
Campbell	1	2	2	53	58
Gilroy	0	3	0	51	96
Live Oak	0	3	0	43	86

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	GP	FG	FT	TP
Fredericks, f SJT	2	13	6	32
Forris, f Fremont	3	13	5	31
Nakamura, c Wash.	3	8	9	25
L. Estrade, c Camp.	3	9	5	23
Raphael, g L. G.	2	9	3	21

TONIGHT'S GAMES
(7:30 and 8:45 p.m.)
Live Oak at San Jose Tech.
Santa Clara at MountainView.
Fremont at Los Gatos.
Washington at Campbell.

IRVINGTON SCHOOL

By Agnes Tacang

On January 31 the student council will give a skating party at the Maple Hall in Irvington. At this party there will be games, in addition to the skating, and refreshments. Tickets for spectators will cost $1.25.

The Glee Club of the Irvington School will sing at the International Kitchen on February 27. Miss Mary Virginia Bristow is going to present this program to the people there. After the program, the Glee Club will have dinner there. They hope to have a wonderful time singing at 6 o'clock.

Slender gilt pins used by entomologists in their study of insects are so small that it takes about 4,500 of them to weig an ounce.

IRVINGTON CHURCH

The Rev. Joseph S. Stephens, pastor of the Irvington Church, has announced that his sermon at the 11 a.m. service Sunday will have as its topic, "The Crowning Triumphs of Our Living Christ." Sunday School classes for all ages will be held at 10 a.m. and the young people's meeting at 6 p.m.

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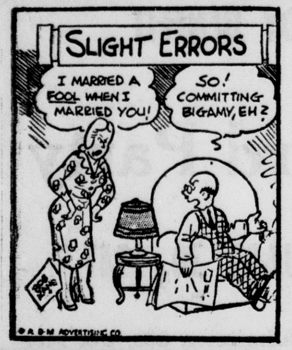
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GROUP SEEKS MORE ROADS FOR COUNTY

Another bid for Alameda County highway assistance was being made this week by an Oakland delegation headed by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce Highway Committee before the State Highway Commission in Sacramento.

The group's plea will be made by Dudley W. Frost, who will speak not only as a member of the chamber committee but as an Oakland port commissioner.

The group will ask that consideration to the county's urgent needs be given when the current highway budget is drawn. Particular stress will be placed on the East Shore Highway, the Livermore-Dublin Canyon highway and Foothill Boulevard near Hayward.

The group will be headed by Thomas E. Caldecott, vice chairman of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors, also a member of the chamber committee, and will include the following:

Herbert P. Moore of the Morris Draying Co.; P. Guy Jacobus, Uptown Development Association; City Manager John F. Hassler; City Engineer Walter N. Frickstad; County Surveyor Wallace B. Boggs; City Planning Engineer John Marr; Harold Weber, general manager of the Chamber of Commerce, and Richard L. Grodin, president of the Downtown Merchants Association.

The group was promised a morning hearing before the full State Highway Commission, and was to be joined in Sacramento by Senator Arthur H. Breed Jr. and other members of the Legislative Assembly.

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SWIFT & CO. DINNER

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STOVE EXPLOSION DAMAGES TRAILER

Mrs. Mylah Leslie of Niles nardowly escaped serious injury Monday morning when a butane heater in her house-trailer in the Canyon Trailer Camp exploded when she attempted to light it.

The Niles Fire Department answered the alarm and quickly extinguished the fire started by the explosion. Most of Mrs. Leslie's personal effects were saved but the interior of the trailer was badly damaged by fire and water.

Mrs. Leslie received slight burns about her face and hands.

WILL MEET TUESDAY

Mrs. Henry P. Dias, president of the Centerville Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association, announces that the next meeting will be in the Centerville school auditorium Tuesday, Jan. 28, at 2:30 p.m.

All members and their friends are invited to be in attendance, as plans will be made for the benefit dance recital to be held on Friday evening, Feb. 7, and the Founders' Day program, which will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 28, in the school auditorium.

SALVATION ARMY TO COLLECT HERE IN FEB.

If you have any old furniture, clothing, dishes, rags, cooking utensils, papers, etc., that have been kicking around you are about to be offered the opportunity of getting rid of them.

The Salvation Army will cover Washington Township on Monday, February 3. Any discarded materials you wish to get rid of should be left in sight on your porch or curb. Those wishing to have large items hauled away should contact the P.G.&E. office in Niles before the above date .

ATTEND OAKLAND LIONS DINNER

Several members of the Centerville Lions Club and their wives attended a dinner in the Scottish Rite Temple in Oakland Monday evening honoring Melvin Jones, founder of the Lions International.

Among those attending from the Centerville Club were President and Mrs. Harry Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Hygelund, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Alameda, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Thornburg.

CENTERVILLE SCHOOL

By Jimmie Leonard

Monday afternoon, January 20, Mr. Fred Rogers, fire chief of Centerville, came to the school and filled our fire extinguishers. The boys of the fire squad learned a great deal from Mr. Rogers about fire extinguishers and fires. The members of the squad are Tom Nieto, Jimmie Leonard, Norman Coit, Jerry Browning, Merle Bechtold, George Silveira, Jack Bribes, Joseph Silva and Ronald Cardoza.

The March of Dimes has been progressing very well. A committee of eighth grade boys is in charge for Centerville. We have placed containers and March of Dimes pines in most stores or other places of business. On this committee are Jerry Browning, chairman, Jimmie Leonard, Vernon Correa, Norman Coit and Milton Rose.

A dance recital will be held on in the grammar school auditorium. Friday evening, Feb. 7, at 8 o'clock, It will be given by the students of Miss Carol Jeanne.

Wednesday evening, Feb. 12, at 8 o'clock, the Boy Scouts of Washington Township will hold a Court of Honor in the Centerville Elementary school auditorium.

MISSION MEN PLANNING PUBLIC WHIST PARTY

If you're a bachelor living in Mission San Jose you're in luck!

The young men of that community have formed the Mission Men's Social Club, and the only requirement for eligibility is bachelorhood. Judging from some of the interesting activities the young men have planned, it wouldn't be at all surprising to see the married men casting envious glances in their direction!

At their meeting last Sunday at the I.D.E.S. Hall, which was attended by 13 members, they made plans for a Valentine public whist party, to be held February 12 at the hall. The proceeds will go towards the general fund, the main purpose of which at the present time is to provide monies to be used in promoting the Mission Sesquicentennial.

Officers of the club are: president, Ed Freitas; vice-president, Joe Telles; secretary, David Sousa; treasurer, Eddie Azevedo.

Any young men of the community—bachelors, that is—are invited to join.

AUXILIARY POST ELECTION HELD

Mres. Lillian Robinson was elected president of the Washington Township American Legion Auxiliary at a special election held Wednesday evening at the Veterans War Memorial Building in Niles.

Mrs. Lillian Butterfield was re-elected first vice-president and Mrs. Margaret Jones was elected to the post of second vice-president.

The special election was called following the resignation of Mrs. Myrtle Corey who recently moved to Oregon to make her home.

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FARM GROUP HEARS TALK ON ORCHARDS

Approximately 40 members of the Eden-Washington Farm Center met at the Washington Union High School on Tuesday evening to hear a talk by County Agent Tom Morrison on the care and spraying of orchards.

Fred Lewis, chairman of the local organization, also introduced H. C. Underwood of the Hayward Bureau office who explained to the group the benefits and advantages offered to the members of the organization.

Two movies produced by the Sherwin-Williams Company were shown during the meeting depicting methods of eliminating weeds and bugs.

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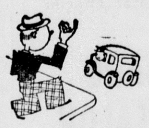

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Peas	Sugar Belle, Sweet—No. 2 Can	17¢
Fruit Cocktail	Libby's or Del Monte 2½ Can	31¢

Peas	Del Monte Early Garden—No. 2 Can	2 for 35¢
Beans	Libby's Cut Green Beans—No. 2 Can	22¢
Apricots	Highway—Halves, Unpeel—2½ Can	23¢
Corn	12-oz. Can Country Home—Gold., V. P.	2 for 29¢
Town House Grapefruit Juice	Swt. or Uns: No. 2 Can 3 for 29¢	46-oz. Can 23¢

FEATURED FLOUR NEEDS

Kitchen Craft	Pillsbury Enriched		Gold Medal Enriched	
Enriched—5-lb. Bag	5-lb. Bag	10-lb. Bag	5-lb. Bag	10-lb. Bag
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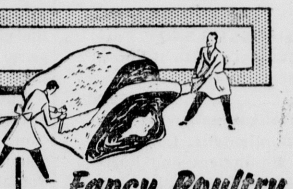
Miscellaneous Needs

Cheddar Cheese	Berkshire Mild—Lb.	59¢
Soy Beans	Loma Linda—17-oz. Gl.	2 for 35¢
Salad Dressing	Duchess 8-oz. Gl. 17¢ 16-oz. Gl.	31¢
Spam	Hormel Luncheon Meat—12-oz. Can	39¢
Crackers	Sunshine Hi Ho—1-lb. Pkg.	27¢
Pastry Cream	Lucerne—½ pt. Ctn.	31¢
Orange Juice	Full O'Gold—No. 2 Can	3 for 29¢
Hemo	Borden's Chocolate Vitamin Drink—Can or Gl. (Liquid or Powder)	59¢
Green Tea	Canterbury—¼-lb. Pkg.	22¢
Mixed Nuts	1-lb. Cello	39¢

SAFEWAY GUARANTEED MEATS



Pork Shoulders	Picnic Cut, Sweet Pickled, for baking —Lb.	34¢
Sirloin Steaks	Tender Choice Cuts, A & AA Grade—Lb.	55¢
Brisket Corned Beef	Boneless Choice Cuts Lb. (Point Cuts 37¢ Lb.)	39¢
Fancy Sliced Bacon	Best Eastern Quality, pound layers—Lb.	72¢
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...Around the Township...

Teaching in City

Kenneth Young, recently of Niles and the husband of Mae Wittennmyer, well known locally, is now teaching journalism at San now teaching journalism at San Francisco State Teachers College. The Youngs are living in Alameda, where Mrs. Young is teaching at Lincoln Elementary School.

Mr. Young, a veteran, was attending Stanford University while living in Niles. The couple will spend next summer in Mexico City, where they will take graduate work at the University of Mexico.

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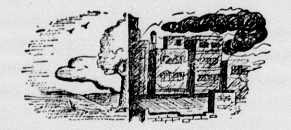

God made the country, and man made the town.

JANUARY

29—William Allen White, Emporia editor, dies, 1944.
30—Franklin D. Roosevelt, born, 1882.
31—Louisiana purchase, 1803.

FEBRUARY

1—George Washington elected first president, 1789.
2—U.S. ceded Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California in 1848.

3—U.S. units enter Manila, 1945.
4—First meeting to form Southern Confederate states, 1861.

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Betty Grau Celebrates Sixteenth Birthday

In celebration of her sixteenth birthday, Miss Betty Grau of Niles was hostess at her home last Saturday night at a party, to which a large group of her high school friends were invited. The young people enjoyed an evening of jitter-bugging, ping-pong and, of course, refreshments.

Those invited included the Misses Bernadette Leal, Jacqueline Lewis, Nancy Bishop, Barbara DeBorba, Laura Emery, Thelma Logan, Vonnie Caldeira, Joyce Hunsberger, Joy Silveira, Diane Avakian. Paula Galvan, Diana Crossman, Joyce Harvey, Dorothy Costa, Thelma Santos, and Dorothy Shanks.

The boys who attended included Bert Madsen, Jack Moser, Victor Fracolli, Gordon Kibby, Butch Mohn, Evan Parry, David Leask, Bob DeSalles, John and David Bishop, Raymond Luiz, Tom Cardenaz, Rudy Mendonca, Eldon Andrade, Roger and Lester Halliday, Larry Thatcher, Irving Alameda, Marvin Peixote, Arthur Hughes, Placey Parades and Fred Duffie.

F. J. DeBorbas Buy Boulder Creek Home

Dr. and Mrs. F. J. DeBorba of Centerville this week became possessors of a summer home in Boulder Creek formerly owned by E. E. Dias. The DeBorbas are looking forward to the summertime when they can enjoy their new home.

Birthday Club Honors Mrs. H. Chadbourne

Mrs. Garrett Norris was hostess at her Centerville home Tuesday at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Howard Chadbourne who was celebrating her birthday.

Those who attended were, with the exception of Mr. LeRoy Broun's mother, members of the Birthday Club.

In addition to Mrs. Norris, Mrs. Chadbourne and Mrs. Broun, were Mrs. Belle Chadbourne, Mrs. Eric Bergstrom, Mrs. George Lowrie, Mrs. Pearl Dusterberry and Miss Elizabeth Dusterberry.

New Son to J. K. Pools

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pool of Newark are the parents of a 9-pound 3-ounce son born Wednesday at Alameda Hospital. The husky young lad has been named Charles Murphy. Mrs. Pool is the former Betty Murphy.

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Housewarming for Canyon Heights Couple

Mr. and Mrs. George Pekota of 250 Steinhammer Drive, Canyon Heights, Niles, held a housewarming at their home Sunday evening, January 19. Refreshments were served and a good time was had by all.

The young couple received many lovely gifts.

Those present were Jesse Menzies, Mr. and Mrs. C. Drake, Chuck Deaver, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Plumb, Ted Lira, Mrs. Merle McDermott and children, Henry Wagner, Bernice and Frank Silva, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Nielsen, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mattox, Harold Nielsen, Ken McDonald, June Menzies and Bob Nielsen, of Canyon Heights; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wills of Livermore; Tony Moreno and Jackie Kitching of San Jose and Centerville; Bill Jensen, San Leandro; Mary Ann Rose, Hayward; Marjorie Coite, Mr. and Mrs. John Wypfle, and Joe Bauhofer of Centerville.

Wedding Anniversary In Warm Springs

A double celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Vargas of Warm Springs when they celebrated their thirty-second wedding anniversary on January 15. It was also the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Andrade of Centerville.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vargas, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Andrade, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Machado and daughter, Dorothy, of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. William Borba, George and Tony Borba, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Duarte and daughter, Maxine, and Emma and Wilbert Vargas, all of Warm Springs.

29th Anniversary is Celebrated by Silvas

Upon their return from a two weeks' vacation spent in the southern part of California, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Silva, Creek Road, Niles, were honored at a surprise anniversary party celebrating their 29th wedding anniversary given by their family, LeRoy and Agnes Gomes, Eleanor, Eddie and Denny Perry, Joseph and Anthony Silva.

While in the southern part of the state, they visited Palm Springs and Santa Catalina Island. On their trip home they stopped to visit another son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Silva and Steven, in Bakersfield.

On Visit Here From South Dakota

G. G. Lasell of Sisseton, South Dakota, arrived Monday for a visit with his niece, Mrs. W. E. Sletten of Niles. He arrived here from Seattle where he had been visiting relatives and expects to make a trip into Mexico before returning to his home. Mr. Lasell stated that the thermometer has been down to 20 degress below zero at his home already this winter but added that he was colder here in our early morning sub-freezing weather than the subzero weather of his home.

Spend Week-end In Santa Cruz

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis and daughter, Elaine, of Centerville, entertained last week-end at their summer home in Santa Cruz. The guests included Bob and Gilbert Dutra, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence George and son, Arnold. The party spent the week-end fishing for steelheads but report little luck in landing as many as nearby fishermen.

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Celebrate Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Mesquite celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Wednesday evening, Jan. 22. Those to help celebrate were their two children, Emily and Herman. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Rebello, who were best man and matron of honor at the wedding; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pine and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. John Hudgel and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. John King Jr.; Mr. King Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Abel Santos and daughter; Elain and Alvin Silva; Pat Mendoza; and Alfred Rebello.

The Mesquites were married at Corpus Christi Church after a 20-day courtship.

Many beautiful gifts were received by the couple.

Hosts at Cocktail Party

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Alameda were hosts at cocktails last Monday evening to several local Lions and their wives who attended the Melvin Jones birthday dinner at the Scottish Rite Auditorium in Oakland. Included were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Thornburg, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Hygelund, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Connolly.

Spends Week-end In Sacramento

Mrs. Bertha Rose of Irvington spent the week-end in Sacramento visiting her son, Bob, who is a student there at Sacramento Junior College.

Visitors at Shinns

Visiting at the J. C. Shinn home for a week are their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Solinksy of Amador county. Accompanying them were their five children.

Former Residents Visiting Here

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wyatt, former residents of Niles now living in Philomath, Oregon, arrived in Niles Saturday for a two weeks' visit. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Wyatt's mother, Mrs. Sara Crane, who has been visiting with them for the past three months. The Wyatts own a 626-acre stock ranch in Oregon.

Dorothy Amaral Returns from East

Dorothy Amaral is back at her job in Pond's Pharmacy in Irvington after a three weeks' holiday vacation spent in Detroit, Mich. Dorothy reports that she had a wonderful time playing in the snow and enjoying her first white Christmas.

Former Resident Married in Galt

Miss Elsie Furtado of Galt, who formerly made her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vargas of Warm Springs, was married on January 12 to Domenico J. Menicucci, also of Galt.

While living here Mrs. Menicucci was employed at the James Graham Manufacturing Company at Newark.

Iowa Visitors Expected Here

Miss Margaret Fair of Centerville is expecting a visit next week from her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Baxter of Galva, Iowa. They left about a week ago and will come by way of Los Angeles, visiting Mr. Baxter's brother there.

Recovering

Mrs. Joseph Vargas of Warm Springs, who underwent major surgery at San Jose Hospital last December 21, is now able to be up and around again.

Rudolph Brazil Returns Home

Rudolph Brazil, Lt. (jg), U.S.S. Warwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Brazil of Centerville, is now on his way to Oakland from Pearl Harbor. He is expected to be in port on Saturday.

S.P.R.S.I. Lodge To Hold Supper

The regular meeting of S.P.R.S.I. Council No. 4 will be held on Friday, Feb. 6, at 7 p.m., at the parish hall, Centerville. There will be a pot-luck supper and Valentine party.

Son is Born

Mr. and Mrs. Tony DeValle of Warm Springs are the proud parents of a son born January 17 at San Jose Hospital. The young man weighed in at six pounds and ten ounces and has been named Gregory.

In Los Angeles

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leal of Warm Springs have just returned from a trip to Los Angeles where they visited their son, Lawrence and family.

On Sick List

Tony Lawrence of Warm Springs has been on the sick list this past week.

The Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone River, in Yellowstone National Park, is one of the most colorful in the West.

Proud Grandmother

Mrs. John Souza of Warm Springs was a proud first time grandmother when a daughter was born to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Sarmento of Centerville. The young lady arrived December 30 and has been named Jacquelin.

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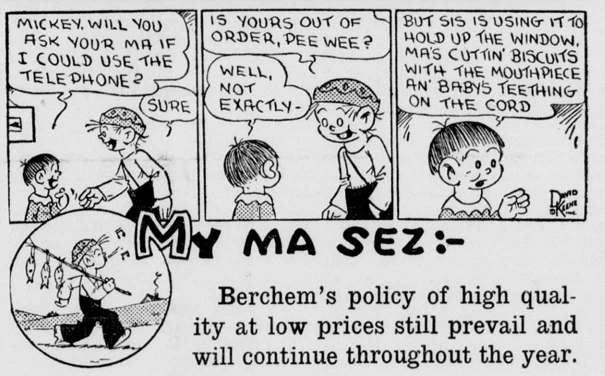

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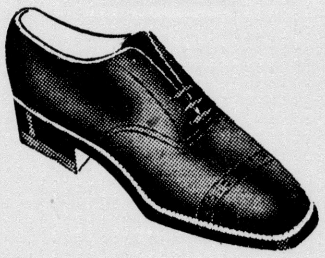

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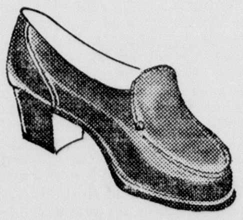

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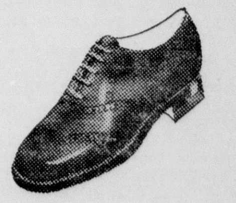

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TWENTY YEARS AGO...

(From the 1926 files of The Township Register)

St. James Guild of Centerville elected officers as follows: Mrs. C. Emerson, president; Mrs. J. Mowry, vice-president; Mrs. F. O. Bunting, secretary; and Mrs. Fitzgerald, treasurer.

Members of the Niles Commercial Club were entertained at dinner by the P.T.A. at the school cafeteria. Lester Duffy was president.

Pola Negri played in "Hotel Imperial" at the Niles Theater. She was a Niles visitor last July.

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REBEKAH NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gardner of Hayward Rebekah Lodge, and Mrs. Fern Mitte, Mrs. Maggie Neill and Mrs. Ivy Cull of Niles Rebekah Lodge, visited Stella Rebekah Lodge, San Jose, Tuesday evening, Jan. 14.

Mrs. Jennie Mohn, Mrs. Ivy Cull and Mrs. Ruth Oliver of the Niles Rebekah Lodge, with Mrs. Nina Bartholemew of Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge, accompanied by Barbara Neighbors, Shirley Neighbors, Audrey Vestal, Margaret Cole, Pat Bartholemew and Barbara Bartholemew of Necona Theta Rho Girls' Club No. 46, Niles, were guests of Oakland Club No. 2 last Saturday afternoon.

The newly elected officers of Niles Rebekah Lodge No. 336 were installed Friday evening, Jan. 17, at Odd Fellows Hall, Niles, under the direction of Josephine Page, district deputy president of District No. 53, and her staff.

The officers installed are as follows: Maggie Neill, noble grand; Rose F. Stearns, recording secretary; Fern Mitte, financial secretary; Ivy Cull, treasurer; Florence Dewey, warden; Irene Bales, conductor; Olive Pugmire, chaplain; Irene Kibby, musician; Jennie Mohn and Catherine Parry, supporters to the noble grand; Ethel Fournier, right supporter to the vice-grand; Ruth Andrews, inside guardian; Lulu Moser, outside guardian.

Anna Bradford was seated as past noble grand, and Ruth Meck as color bearer. Mildred Barber, vice-grand, and Iva Marble, supporter to the vice-grand, will be installed at some future date.

The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion by Irene Kibby and Fern Mitte. Refreshments were served by a committee headed by Ann Arington.

A short program followed the installation ceremonies. Several dances were put on by little Miss Geraldine Gonsales of Niles. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Lorrene McLean of Alvarado, and Mrs. Margaret Sawmiller of Livermore. Mrs. Catherine Parry of Niles, and a past district deputy president of District No. 53, sang "Annie Laurie" in honor of the new noble grand, our Scotch lassie Maggie Neill.

The next regular meeting of the local lodge will be held Friday evening, Feb. 7, at Odd Fellows Hall in Niles.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 97606 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of JOHN ANDRADE, also known as JOHN ANDRADE MACEDO and as JOHN A. MACEDO Jr., deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 22, 1947.

JOE R. ANDRADE
Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA (SEAL)
Attorney for said Administrator
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California J24-31F7-14

CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERSHIP DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are a co-partnership transacting business in the City of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the fictitious firm name and style of DUFFEY BROS. REPAIR SHOP.

That the principal place of business of said co-partnership is located at 760 First Street, Niles, California; and that the names in full of all said members of said co-partnership, and their respective places of residence are as follows:

MELVIN T. DUFFEY, 3rd and "H" Street, Niles, California.

LESTER J. DUFFEY, Niles-Alvarado Road, Niles, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 9th day of January, 1947

MELVIN T. DUFFEY
LESTER J. DUFFEY

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, SS.

On this 9th day of January, 1947, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared MELVIN T. DUFFEY and LESTER J. DUFFEY, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written .

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) J17-24-31F7-14

ACCUSED BURGLARS HELD TO ANSWER

The preliminary trial of five men accused on burglary charges involving the Newark, Mount Eden and Castro Valley post offices was held before Judge Jacob Harder in Hayward yesterday and all were held to answer to superior court.

The five defendants were Warren Terwilliger, 38, Hayward, and Robert Ulrich, 34, Richard Urquhart, 46, Frank Holman and Dewey Thompson, 35, all of San Francisco.

The defendants were all held to answer on a charge of conspiracy to commit burglary and Ulrich, Holman and Thompson were also held to answer on two burglary counts. Charges other than conspiracy to commit burglary were dropped against Terwilliger and Urquhart for lack of sufficient evidence.

Bond was placed at $10,000 on each man and in addition the trio charged with burglary were placed under $5,000 on each count for a total of $20,000.

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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 200245

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

Dept. 1

SUMMONS

JOHN REIS and OLYMPIA REIS, his wife, as joint tenants, Plaintiffs,

vs.

R. A. McCLURE; G. W. COOK; R. A. McCLURE and G. W. COOK, as Trustees of Mission San Jose School District; Mission San Jose School District, also known as Mission San Jose School District of Alameda County, State of California, a body politic and corporate; HENRY G. ELLSWORTH, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest, in the real property described in plaintiffs' complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto,

Defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

R. A. McCLURE; G. W. COOK; R. A. McCLURE and G. W. COOK, as Trustees of Mission San Jose School District; Mission San Jose School District, also known as Mission San Jose School District of Alameda County, State of California, a body politic and corporate; HENRY G. ELLSWORTH, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in plaintiffs' complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto, defendants:

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint filed in the County of Alameda, in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within said County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

The object of said action is to obtain a judgment and decree of said court adjudging and declaring that neither said defendants, nor any of them have any right, title, estate, lien or interest in, to or upon the real property in said complaint and hereinafter described, or any part or portion thereof, adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto and that the title of said plaintiffs in and to said real property and every part and portion thereof is good and valid and that said plaintiffs are entitled to have said title quieted against said defendants, and each of them, and that said defendants, and each of them, be forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in, to or upon said property, or any part or portion thereof, adverse to said plaintiffs.

That said real property consists of all that certain real property in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

LOTS 10 and 11 in Block "F" as said lot and block are shown on the "Map of the Town of Mission San Jose, Surveyed May 1868, W. F. Boardman, County Surveyor", filed October 27, 1868, in Book 6 of Maps at page 17, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County.

You are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiffs will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

WITNESS MY hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, this 13th day of January, 1947.

G. E. WADE, Clerk,
By Harold Schulze, Deputy.

(SEAL)
E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for Plaintiffs
Niles, California J24-31F7-14-21

SERVICES TUESDAY FOR MRS. SILVA

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Jan. 21, from the Chapel of the Palms, followed by a mass at Holy Ghost Church, Centerville, for Mrs. Rosie Fontes Silva, 66, who died at her home in Centerville, January 18.

Mrs. Silva was a native of Fayal, Azores Islands, and a member of the S.P.R.S.I. of Centerville.

She was the wife of Henry Silva; sister of Mary Harris, Niles; Manuel Fontes, Azores Islands; Mrs. B. S. Damas, Centerville; Antone and Joseph Fontes, Centerville.

Burial was at Holy Ghost Cemetery.

BANK MAKES GAIN

Central Bank of Oakland has advanced from 157th to 149th place among the larger banks of the United States during the past year, according to a compilation completed by the American Banker. Resources of Central Bank, as disclosed by its year-end statement of condition, total $125,385,410.

Yellowstone National Park was created by an act of Congress on March 1, 1872.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 97493 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of J. R. JORDAN, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 9, 1947.

LAURA MAY JORDAN
Administratrix of the Estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Administratrix
Ellsworth Building,
Niles, California. J10-17-24-31

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 97415 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executrices of the Last Will and Testament of JOHN F. DUTRA, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to us, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned select as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 9, 1947.

MARY BRAGA
MAUDE L. SILVA
Executrices of the Last Will and Testament of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Executrices
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California. J10-17-24-31

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 97441 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of MANUEL E. SIMAS, also known as MANUEL SIMAS, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned select as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 9, 1947.

JENNIE SEMAS
Administratrix of the Estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Administratrix
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California. J10-17-24-31

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 97370 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of FRANK SILVA, deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned select as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 9, 1947.

FRANK S. VARGAS
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Executor
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California. J10-17-24-31

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 13349

CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, SS.

I, the undersigned, JACOB JACOBSEN, hereby certify that I am transacting business at Newark, in the County of Alameda, State of California, under the fictitious name of NEWARK HARDWOOD COMPANY; that I am the only person having any interest in said business, and that the place of my residence is hereinafter set forth following my signature hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 18th day of December, 1946.

/s/ JACOB JACOBSEN
Residing at Newark, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, SS.

On this 18th day of December, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six, before me, ALLEN G. NORRIS, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared, JACOB JACOBSEN, known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL) ALLAN G. NORRIS
/s/ ALLEN G. NORRIS
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) J10-17-24-31F7

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

No. 95105 Dept. 4

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH F. PEREIRA, also known as JOE FARIA, and also as JOSEPH FARIA PERRY and also as JOSE FARIA PEREIRA, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned Administrator of the estate of JOSEPH F. PEREIRA, also known as JOE FARIA, and also as JOSEPH FARIA PERRY and also as JOSE FARIA PEREIRA, Deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on January 27, 1947, at the hour of ten o'clock A.M., or after said day, at the office of Allen G. Norris and Leroy A. Broun, Attorneys at Law, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California, all right, title, interest and estate of the said decedent at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to that of the said decedent, at the time of his death, in and to all those certain parcels of land particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain real property situate in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

That parcel of land described in the deed from Theodore Nissen, et ux, to Jose Faria Pereira, dated October 12, 1908 and recorded October 24, 1908 in Volume 140 of Deeds, at page 89, as follows:

"Beginning at Station S. R. 5 on the exterior boundary line of the Rancho San Ramon, said Station being at the corner common to Lots Nos. 2 and 3 as said lots are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled 'Map of the property of the estate of Elizabeth A. Dougherty' etc. and filed in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, California, May 11th, 1891, and running thence along the line dividing said lots Nos. 2 and 3, north 89 deg. 15′ west 0.57 chains to a point in the center of the Tassajara Road; thence along the center of said road, south 22 deg. 30′ west 21.00 chains; thence leaving the center line of said road south 67 deg. 30′ east 9.44 chains to a point on the aforesaid exterior boundary line of the Rancho San Ramon, and thence along said boundary line north 1 deg. 30′ west 23.20 chains to the point of beginning. Containing 11.06 acres, inclusive of the southeasterly ½ of the Tassajara Road and containing a net area of 10.00 acres, exclusive of said ½ of said road. Being a portion of Lot No. 3, aforesaid."

Bids or offers are invited for said property and must be in writing and will be received at the office of Allen G. Norris and Leroy A. Broun, Attorneys at Law, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California, or may be filed with the Clerk of the said Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or delivered to said Administrator, personally, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States of America, ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to be paid on date of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by the Court, taxes to be prorated as of delivery of possession, title insurance and search at expense of buyer.

Dated: January 6, 1947.

JOE S. FARIA
Administrator of the estate of JOSEPH F. PEREIRA, also known as JOE FARIA, also as JOSEPH FARIA PERRY and also as JOSE FARIA PEREIRA, Deceased.

ALLEN G. NORRIS and
LEROY A. BROUN
Attorneys for Administrator
Centerville, California J10-17-24

MRS. LAURA MAYER TO BE HONORED

Honoring Mrs. Laura Mayer, district deputy of District No. 3, Y.L.I., De Guadalupe Institute, will give a dinner at the International Kitchen on Wednesday, January 29, at 6.30 p.m.

Chairman for the evening will be Mary Azevedo of Alvarado. The guest speaker will be Adeline Rogers of San Jose, past grand president. Rev. T. Hennessy will also be present as an honor guest, as will Mary Foss, of San Leandro, institute deputy.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Matter of the Annexation of Territory to
IRVINGTON SANITARY DISTRICT
of Alameda County, California

RESOLUTION AND ORDER APPROVING PETITION, DESCRIBING BOUNDARIES OF TERRITORY PROPOSED TO BE ANNEXED AND ORDERING AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT SUCH TERRITORY SHALL BE ANNEXED TO IRVINGTON SANITARY DISTRICT

The verified petition for the annexation to IRVINGTON SANITARY DISTRICT of the contiguous territory hereinafter particularly described coming on regularly for hearing the 14th and 21st days of January, 1947, at eight o'clock p.m., before the Sanitary Board of Irvington Sanitary District, Alameda County, California, at a regular meeting thereof, duly and regularly called and held at the office and regular meeting place of said Board in the Leal Building, on the northerly side of Mission Street, Irvington, Alameda County, California, all of the members of said Sanitary Board being present, and evidence oral and documentary having been introduced, and no objection having been filed with or presented to said Board, and the Board being fully advised in the premises;

IT IS RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Sanitary Board of said Irvington Sanitary District that the evidence introduced before said Board upon the presentation of said petition established the facts hereinafter recited, and this Board ascertains, determines and finds as facts from said testimony:

That a petition in writing signed by MATHEW SILVA and others, and duly verified by the affidavit of CYRUS A. SOLON, one of the petitioners, and having attached thereto a notice by said petitioners that said petition would be presented to the Sanitary Board of Irvington Sanitary District on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1947, at the hour of eight o'clock p.m. of said day at the regular meeting place of said Sanitary Board in the Leal Building, on the northerly side of Mission Street, Irvington, Alameda County, California, and that all persons interested in said petition might appear and be heard at said time and place, was presented to said Sanitary Board at the time and place stated in said notice, together with a cash bond in the sum of $100.00, as security for the payment by said petitioners of the reasonable costs of the election hereinafter called:

That said cash bond was duly approved by said Sanitary Board and filed with the Secretary thereof;

That said petition is signed by more than twenty-five per cent of the freeholders residing in the territory therein described; that said petition designates specifically the boundaries of the territory contiguous to said Irvington Sanitary District proposed to be annexed; that the assessed valuation of said territory proposed to be annexed as shown by the last equalized assessment roll of Alameda County is $268,700; that no part of said territory is within the limits of any Sanitary District and all thereof is within Alameda County, California;

That said petition and notice were published in the TOWNSHIP REGISTER, a newspaper of general circulation published in said IRVINGTON SANITARY DISTRICT, for at least two weeks preceding the hearing thereof on said 14th day of January, 1947, to-wit, on the 20th and 27th days of December, 1946, and on the 3rd day of January, 1947;

That all of the land within the boundaries of such contiguous territory proposed to be annexed will be benefitted by the annexation of such territory to Irvington Sanitary District;

That said verified petition in all respects conforms to the law in regard to the annexation of contiguous territory to Sanitary Districts under the provisions of Division VI of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California, and contains all facts necessary to be set forth and approved in a petition for the annexation of territory to Sanitary Districts according to said Code, and that all of the statements contained in said petition are true; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the said petition as originally presented be and it is hereby approved; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the exterior boundaries of such contiguous territory proposed to be annexed to the Irvington Sanitary District is specifically bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All that property situate, lying and being in Washington Township, Alameda County, California, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Olive Avenue and the northeasterly line of County Road No. 398, as shown on that certain may entitled "Map of a Portion of the Property of the Palmdale Company, Washington Township, Alameda County, California," filed December 20, 1904 in Book 20 of Maps, at page 8 thereof, Records of Alameda County, California; thence southeasterly along said northeasterly line of County Road No. 398 to a point on the direct extension northerly of the easterly line of the 18.36 acre tract now or formerly owned by W. C. and F. A. Peters; thence southerly along last said direct extension and along the easterly line of said lands of Peters to the intersection of the said easterly line of the lands of Peters with the southerly line of Plot No. 17 as shown on that certain map entitled "Map of Plots Nos. 1 to 52 and Blocks A B C D E of Lands Belonging to la Societe Francaise d'enargnes et de prevoyance mutuelle, in Washington Township" filed May 23, 1881 in Book 6 of Maps at page 22 thereof, Records of Alameda County, California; thence northerly, easterly, southerly and easterly along said southerly line of Plot 17 and along the southerly lines of Plots 18, 18½, and 21, to the intersection of said southerly line of Plot 21 with a line drawn parallel with the westerly property line of Bryant Street as shown on that certain map entitled, "Map of Town of Mission San Jose" filed October 27, 1868 in Book 6 of Maps at page 17 thereof, Records of Alameda County, California, and distant westerly 200 feet measured at right angles thereto; thence southerly along said parallel line to the intersection of said line with a line drawn parallel with the southerly line of Block D as shown on aforesaid map entitled, "Map of Town of Mission San Jose", and distant southerly 260 feet measured at right angles thereto; thence easterly along said parallel line and along the easterly extension thereof to the intersection of said line with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Vallejo Street, said line passing through the southeast corner of Lot V (Church Tract No. 2) of the Lands of the Ex Mission; thence northerly along said line to the southeasterly corner of said Lot V (Church Tract No. 2), and along the northeasterly property line of said Lot V (Church Tract No. 2) and along the northeasterly line of Lot 45 of the Lands of the Ex Mission, to the intersection of said line with the southerly line of Lot 43 of the Lands of the Ex Mission; thence easterly along said southerly line of Lot 43 to the southeasterly corner of Lot 43; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said lot 43, and along the easterly line of the 7.60 acre tract of land now or formerly owned by the Female Religious Order of St. Dominic, a corporation, and along the easterly line of the 1.60 acre tract now or formerly owned by Oscar L. and Hazel P. Star and Irene L. Hansen, and along the easterly line of that 11.03 acre tract now or formerly owned by Theresa Gallegos, Robert Gallegos, Anita Gallegos, and Sophy Gallegos, and along the extension thereof to the intersection of said line with a line drawn parallel with the northeasterly line of County Road No. 2518, commonly known as Mill Creek Road, and distant northeasterly 200 feet measured at right angles thereto; thence northwesterly and westerly along said line and along a line at all points distant northeasterly 200 feet from the northeasterly line of County Road No. 2518 measured at right angles thereto, and along the direct extension westerly thereof to the intersection of said direct extension with the northerly line of Lot 16 as shown on the aforementioned "Map of a Portion of the Property of the Palmdale Company, Washington Township, Alameda County, California"; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 16 to the northwesterly corner of said Lot 16; thence southerly along the westerly line of Lot 16 to the intersection of said westerly line with the direct extension easterly of the northerly line of Lot 20; thence westerly along said easterly extension and along said northerly line of Lot 20 to the easterly line of Lot 31; thence northerly along said easterly line of Lot 31 to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 31; thence westerly along said northerly line of Lot 31 and along the northerly line of Lot 32 to the northwesterly corner of said Lot 32; thence southerly along the western line of Lot 32 to the intersection of said line with the northerly line of Lot 33; thence westerly along said northerly line of Lot 33 and along the northerly line of Lot 34 to the most northerly corner of Lot 34; thence southerly along the westerly line of said Lot 34, and the extension southerly of last said line to the southerly line of Olive Avenue as shown on the last aforesaid map; thence westerly along said southerly line of Olive Avenue to the point of beginning.

LEGAL NOTICE

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that a special election be held and the same is hereby called to be held on Tuesday, the 25th day of February, 1947, within said Irvington Sanitary District and within said contiguous territory proposed to be annexed to said district for the purpose of determining whether or not such proposed territory shall be annexed to said district; and

LEGAL NOTICE

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the territory embraced within the boundaries of Irvington Sanitary District is hereby established, fixed, determined and designated as the election precinct of said district for the purpose of holding said election;

That the territory embraced within the boundaries of the district proposed to be annexed to said Irvington Sanitary District be and it is hereby established, fixed, determined and designated as the election precinct, within the district proposed to be annexed, for the purpose of holding said election;

That the polling places hereinafter designated be and the same are hereby selected and designated as the places where said election must and will be held and the said places are hereby found and determined to be suitable places therefor;

That the persons hereinafter named as Inspectors and Judges be and they are hereby respectively appointed as such Inspectors and Judges to conduct said election in the respective election precincts herein established and are the officers of such election and the Boards of Election thereof, and the said persons so appointed are hereby found and declared to be legally qualified for their respective positions:

The polling place and the officers of election to conduct said election within Irvington Sanitary District are as follows, to-wit:

POLLING PLACE: Leal Building situated on the northerly side of Mission Street, Irvington, Alameda County, California.

Inspector: ANN C. ROSE
Judge: ELSIE D. ROGERS
Judge: ANNE PERRY

The polling place and the officers of election to conduct said election within the District proposed to be annexed are as follows, to-wit:

POLLING PLACE: Mission San Jose Grammar School on Vallejo Street in said territory proposed to be annexed.

Inspector: JOSEPH F. PERREIRA
Judge: OLINDA GARCIA
Judge: JOSEPHINE FERNANDEZ

The polls at the polling place hereinabove designated shall be opened at seven o'clock in the morning of said day of election and shall be kept open continuously thereafter until seven o'clock in the evening of said day of election, when said polls shall be closed, and the election officers shall then proceed to canvass the ballots cast thereat.

The ballots to be used at such election shall have printed thereon the words "For Annexation to the Sanitary District" and "Against Annexation to the Sanitary District," and there shall be a voting square to the right of and opposite each proposition;

Said election shall be held and conducted and the votes thereof canvassed and the returns thereof made and the results ascertained and determined as herein provided; and in all particulars not prescribed in this resolution and order such election shall be held and conducted in accordance with the general election laws of the State of California so far as the same shall be applicable, except as otherwise provided by Division VI of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California;

Returns of said election shall be made and signed by the officers of election and shall be by them delivered to the Secretary or President of the Sanitary Board, together with the ballots cast at said election, and the Sanitary Board shall meet and canvass said returns and enter the results upon its minutes at the regular meeting place of said Board on Friday, February 28, 1947, at eight o'clock p.m.;

The Secretary of this Board is hereby instructed to take all steps and perform all acts necessary for the holding of such special election in accordance with the provisions of this resolution and with the statutes in such case made and provided;

Every voter resident within said Irvington Sanitary District and every voter resident within the District proposed to be annexed, for the period requisite to enable him to vote at a general election shall be entitled to vote at the election hereby provided for, called and ordered; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that this resolution and order be entered in the minutes of this Board and that a copy of the same be posted for four successive weeks prior to the day of said election in three public places within said Irvington Sanitary District and in three public places within the District proposed to be annexed; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that a copy of this resolution and order be published for four successive weeks prior to the day of said election in the TOWNSHIP REGISTER, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Irvington Sanitary District.

On motion duly made and seconded the foregoing resolution and order was passed and adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Messrs. Durham, Benbow, Freitas, Rose and Wright.
Noes: None.
Absent: None.

Whereupon the President of this Board declared this resolution and order duly passed and adopted.

By order of the Sanitary Board of Irvington Sanitary Distict.

R. J. WRIGHT
Secretary of said Sanitary Board.

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It's Your Time

The average person is quite time conscious at this period of the year. Frequently he resolves to make better use of his time and to keep more regular hours in the 12 months ahead. Very good.

But have you wondered how Mr. Average Man has spent his time up to now? Let's figure it out. They say that life begins at 40 and 40 will do as an average age for our Mr. A. M.

If he has made it a point to get 8 hours sleep every night (as he most likely hasn't) then he has spent about 13½ of his 40 years in bed. Restful, isn't it? Allowing 20 minutes for his breakfast, half an hour for lunch and 40 minutes for dinner, he has had his feet under the table and his napkin under his chin for 2½ years. Well, he shouldn't be hungry.

Now, if he spends 15 minutes each morning shaving and if he started to shave at 15 years of age he has been whacking the whiskers off the man he sees in the mirror for about 3 months. Maybe he should have grown a beard. If he has taken in on the average of one movie a week and if that took about 3 hours each time, he has spent 8 or 9 months "in the dark."

And if he has been working half his life and commutes to his job—let's say it takes 2 hours a day for this, five days a week—he has been mauled, pushed, elbowed and stepped on for about 14 months of his life in public conveyances. Ow! that was my foot!

Finally, if he has worked 40 hours a week for 20 years that's equal to having had his nose against the grindstone for 4½ years solid. Page Mr. Durante.

All this adds up to approximately 22 years. Aside from the additional time he has spent taking showers, arguing with his wife, mowing the lawn and going to church, where has he been the rest of his life?

March of Dimes

The March of Dimes which extends from January 15 to 30, deserves the wholehearted support of Americans everywhere.

This year the national goal is set at $25 million. The many millions of bright little dimes that will make up those millions of dollars will brighten the lives of thousands of persons who need help in combating infantile paralysis.

And that help will be given regardless of the color, race or religion of the individual needing that help.

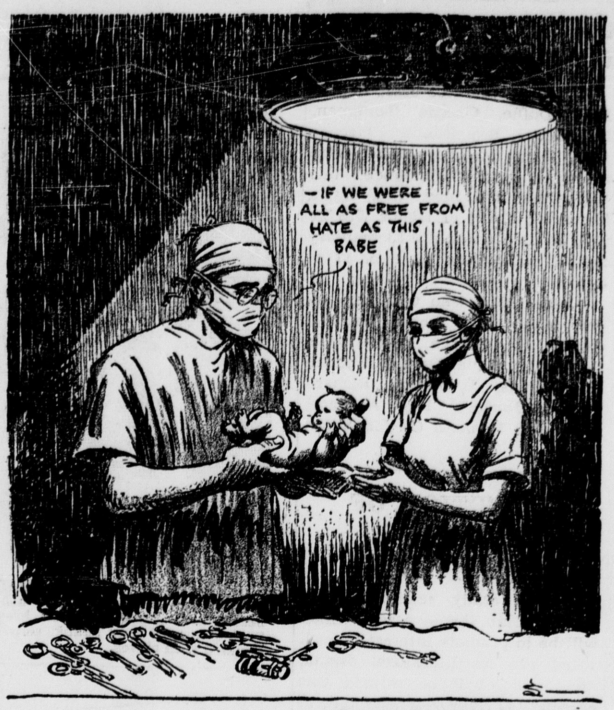
The American people have shown on many previous occasions that they are not indifferent to the welfare of others, and this year's campaign will undoubtedly furnish further proof of that fact.

The dimes are on the march. Be sure that your dimes—and dollars—help to swell their ranks. Give today!

Glass Houses

People who live in glass houses at least have a place to live.

"What a Wonderful World It Would Be - - -"


—IF WE WERE ALL AS FREE FROM HATE AS THIS BABE

Courtesy Appreciate America, Inc.

The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH H. TAYLOR

Executive Secretary Agricultural Council of California

In these days of national and international debate and bickering, misunderstanding and distrust, it is good to look upon an experiment in human and economic relations, born of the war years, that has paid dividends not only to the individuals involved but to the state, the nation, and the world.

We refer ot the program, launched in 1942, under which Mexican nationals came across the border of their native land to work in the agricultural crop areas of California and many other states and produce food and fiber for the Allied war machine.

Even the people of the enemy countries of Europe and Asia may now be thankful that these Mexicans were brought into our country with the blessing of the government of Mexico to provide willing hands in the fields for the harvesting of record crops. These crops are now warding off outright starvation in countries all over the globe—including Germany, Italy and Japan.

Mexican farm hands at times admittedly represented the stark difference between a crop harvested and stored or shipped, and one destined to rot on the ground for lack of labor to turn it into life-sustaining food.

The program of importation of Mexican national labor into the United States will continue through the first half of 1947, and it is possible that legislation will be enacted on the federal level to permit its continuation through the entire year, or until the domestic farm labor situation improves.

During the several years of its operation, the plan has proved to be a notable success, not only in the direct results obtained in the fields but also as an experiment in relations between two governments and the peoples of those governments.

The Mexicans, convinced that they were making a real contribution to the Allied war effort, responded with patriotic zeal to the invitation to help the American farmer bring in his crops. And today, satisfied with treatment and pay, the vast majority of the Mexicans who participated in the project are looking forward to renewed employment in California and elsewhere during 1947.

The plan did not work without difficulties, as no one expected it would. But they were principally difficulties involving food and national custom, and they were ironed out in a spirit of good will that permitted the crops to be brought in from the fields in good time.

In the matter of pay, the Mexicans at first received the prevailing hourly rate. Later, piece rates, or combination rates were introduced, and while this led to some initial difficulties, the Mexicans soon realized that they could make more money by the piece rate yardstick, and expressed a preference for it.

As pointed out by Ellis S. Coman, manager of the Agricultural Producers Labor Committee of Los Angeles, in the January issue of "The Good Earth" magazine, farmers know that "without the Mexican national we could not have harvested our crops without major loss."

It would be difficult to find a better example of harmonious international relations than the example set by the functioning of the Mexican labor program, though it started as a noble experiment. It has brought farmer and laborer together on a common ground, in the common interest of each other, of their respective governments, and of the governments—as is not the case—of peoples throughout the world.

Once more we have tangible proof of the beneficent results that can be achieved by the willingness of nations to cooperate with each other; we have proof also of the fact that diplomats aren't the only ones who can bring harmonious relations and good understanding between people despite the barriers of language and custom.

The good effects of the Mexican agricultural labor program will last long, long after the emergency that brought the program into existence has been forgotten.

Perhaps it is too much to hope, but there is at least no harm in thinking that, were it possible to bring 100 Russians to this country and send 100 Americans to the Moscow-worshipping variety to Russia to study the methods and processes by which each country lives, there would be at least some small measure of improvement in the relations of America and the Soviet Union.

The Russians, we venture, would be impressed and their Communism would suffer in their own eyes; we wouldn't have to worry about the Americans. They'd return as evangelists for Democracy.

The Jains, a religious sect of India, believed that the soul has colors, three good and three bad, indicating its character.

PLAN YULE LIGHTS FOR NEXT YEAR

Anticipating this year's holiday season in ample time—and recalling that Niles was almost bare of decorations last Christmas and New Year—the Niles Chamber of Commerce at its luncheon meeting Tuesday at the International Kitchen moved toward an illuminated Main street — come next Christmas.

John Brahmst was delegated to make an estimate of costs. The chamber has indicated its willingness to support such a project financially and sentiment of a number of merchants favors individual contributions should the cost be beyond the ability of the chamber.

MARCH OF DIMES CAMPAIGN AIDS POLIO CONTROL

"We are all benefitted by the March of Dimes," John F. Hassler, Alameda county chairman, said this week in urging 100 per cent support of the 11th annual polio fund appeal now under way in all communities.

"Until research scientists, working with March of Dimes funds, are able to find a way to eradicate dread polio, all of us, young and old, are potential victims.

NEED FOR RESEARCH

"The more than 17 millions in March of Dimes funds allocated for polio research since 1938 have advanced the knowledge of infantile paralysis at least 100 years," Hassler pointed out.

He praised the research being conducted at Stanford University, where Dr. Hubert C. Loring and Dr. C. E. Schwerdt have just announced isolation of the polio virus. More than $200,000 has been spent on this alone, Hassler pointed out.

"Now that the polio virus has been isolated our research men can begin the search for a counter agent—a vaccine which will render the germ ineffective and protect all of us from its horrors."

A total of five million dollars is needed within the year if the polio research in universities and laboratories throughout the country is to continue, Hassler declared.

BENEFITS HERE

One-half of all funds collected in the county during the current drive will be used for research and training, and the remaining funds will provide direct aid to local polio victims.

Washington Township co-chairmen J. V. Goold and E. Dixon Bristow have placed donation boxes in all of the business houses here for needed contributions.

TEACHERS MEETING AT CENTERVILLE

An estimated 80 grade school teachers representing Washington Township, Livermore and Pleasanton met at the Centerville Elementary school Tuesday afternoon for a review of the social studies now being offered to grade school students.

Staff members of the Alameda County School Superintendent's office led the discussions in each of the divisions as follows: Lunny Ryan, fourth grade; Mabel Sampson, fifth grade; Audrey Mitchell, sixth grade; Laurence Reinecke, seventh grade; Paul Ehret, eighth grade, and Mrs. Persis Cowan, multigrades.

Read Register Want Ads

GIVES SERMON TOPIC

Dr. Berton Palmer has announced that the topic of his sermon at the morning service January 26 in the Niles Congregational Church will be "Jesus in a Camping Party."

FRIDAY REVIEW OF LITERATURE

Magazines with their short articles on timely subjects, and attention catching, interest arousing illustrations can do much to help develop our varied interests.

The Alameda County Library subscribes for 216 magazines for its many branch libraries. Each branch receives a number of magazines regularly to meet the interests of its readers.

The selections are made from magazines dealing with current events in the social, political and economic fields; magazines of general interest—including fiction; and the digest type magazine. Included are magazines representing special fields: science, natural history, homemaking and gardening, handicraft and art, flying, sports, and travel. Nearly every branch has the National Geographical Magazine.

These magazines may be taken home and enjoyed at one's leisure, just as books are, with the exception of the current issue which is usually reserved for those who wish to read in the library.

STUDY PLANS FOR NIGHT PATROLMAN

A special meeting of the board of directors of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce will be held this afternoon (Friday) with Judge Allen Norris for a discussion on the possibilities of hiring a night fire patrolman for that community. Homer James has applied for the position and the officers of the chamber will check some legal technicalities before James can be employed.

TEACHERS TO MAKE SALARY SURVEY

The Alameda County Teachers Association has announced the appointment of a committee to make a survey of teachers' salaries in this county.

The committee was appointed recently by William Dresbach, president of the A.C.T.A., and is composed of representatives from schools in the county not included in the Oakland City school system.

Named to the committee from Washington Township were Miss Mary Shea, Newark Elementary school; Mrs. Katherine Graham, Decoto Elementary school; Miss Gertrude Keller, Niles Elementary school; Thomas Maloney, principal of Centerville Elementary school; and Warren Gravestock, Washington Union High School.

The committee, which meets weekly in Hayward, is making a study of additional funds to be made available by new state legislation; ability of the various districts to meet increased salary requests; the basis for a sound salary schedule; comparison of local salaries with salaries paid in nearby city systems, and recommendations for salary adjustments in local situations.

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NILES MAN FACES STABBING CHARGE

Thad E. Shipman, 59, of 978 First street, Niles, will appear in the Niles Justice Court today (Friday) before Judge E. A. Quaresma on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Police reported that Shipman attacked Alfred Andre, 44, of 321 J street, Niles, late Monday with a pocket knife during an argument in a local tavern. Andre was treated for wounds in the Fairmont Hospital and later released.

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CENTERVILLE P.T.A. PLANS DANCE RECITAL

Tom Maloney, principal of the Centerville Elementary School and chairman of the arrangements committee for the dance recital to be presented by the P.T.A. of that school, has announced that the advance sale of tickets has now begun.

The students of Carol Jeanne will be presented in the school auditorium at 8 p.m. Feb. 7 in the school auditorium. The money raised from the recital will be used in the child welfare fund.

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COURT OF HONOR DATE ANNOUNCED

A Scout committee composed of Fred Duffie, George Scamman, Phil Sousa, Ray Benbow, George Coit, Tom Maloney and Judge Allen G. Norris, announced this week that the next Washington Township Court of Honor will be held in the Centerville Elementary School auditorium on Feb. 12 at 8 p.m.

Scoutmasters who will be present with their troops include: James F. George, Centerville; Norman P. Luna, Decoto; William H. Dobyns, Irvington; Richard Texera, Newark; Ray Andrade, Niles; and Kenneth C. Van Valer, Niles.

NEW SECTION OF COUNTRY CLUB FORMS TONIGHT

A new study section of the Country Club, the purpose of which will be to promote interest in such allied arts as literature, drama, and music, will be formed this evening (Friday) when several members of the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Jack Rees.

This organization meeting, at which time officers will be chosen and permanent meeting dates set, is open to all club members who are interested in the arts. Mrs. Rees asks, however, that those who plan to attend this first meeting notify her by phoning Centerville 409. The meeting begins at 8 o'clock.

ST. JAMES ELECTS CHURCH OFFICERS

As the successor to the Reverend E. A. Groves Jr. has not yet been appointed, the pulpit of St. James Episcopal Church of Centerville will again be filled on Sunday by Canon Reese.

The following new church officers for the ensuing year have just been elected. They are: John R. Sutton, warden; George Hocking, treasurer; and Mrs. H. T. Granger, secretary.

The following are on the Bishop's committee: Col. Manning, Kenneth Ross, Mrs. Hoskins, C. Lopez, Mrs. Edna Tyson, Mrs. W. D. Mette and Mrs. E. Burtch.

N.S.G.W. OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

Ed Vieira was installed as president of the Washington Parlor No. 169, Native Sons of the Golden West at a meeting held Tuesday evening in Hansen Hall, Centerville.

Other officers installed included: Ralph Brown, first vice-president; M. J. O'Brien, second vice-president; C. P. Cockefair, third vice-president; Judge Allen Norris, recording secretary; M. P. Mathiesen, financial secretary; Vernon Rose, treasurer; Joe Duarte, trustee; Thomas J. Silva, marshal; L. S. Telles, inside sentinel; Harold Faria, outside sentinel. J. H. Bargmann, district deputy grand president of Livermore, was the installing officer.

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FARM NEWS
AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE

SHORTAGE OF WOOD PRESERVATIVES

Marked shortages of creosote, pentachlorophenol, and other wood preservatives will be felt by farmers in 1947 because of manufacturing difficulties.

Woodbridge Metcalf, extension specialist in forestry, says it is not possible for manufacturers to put up pentachlorophenol in concentrate form and only a limited supply of ready-to-use five per cent solution is available. Pentachlorophenol is most satisfactory for preserving fence posts and foundation timbers in farm buildings.

Some oil solutions containing two per cent copper naphthenate will be available during the period of shortage in other preservatives. Tests with this material in England and the East indicate it may be quite satisfactory if good penetration of the wood can be secured by soaking. Prices should be about the same as for five per cent pentachlorophenol.

PARASITES DAMAGING IN WINTER TIME

Lice, mites, and other skin parasites are particularly troublesome to livestock and costly to the farmer in winter months, says Dr. Kenneth McKay, specialist in veterinary science of the Agricultural Extension Service.

Prompt measures to control all types of livestock parasites will pay real dividends in fatter market animals, better breeding stock, and increased output of dairy products.

Hog lice not only cause swine to become unthrifty but also leave them more susceptible to other parasites and diseases. Hog mange is caused by parasites. Hog lice and mange can both be controlled by dipping, use of insecticides, and proper follow-up treatment. Old bedding should be cleaned out regularly and quarters disinfected.

Cattle lice, mange and grubs cut heavily into production. Cattle mange can also affect human beings working with mangy animals. Spraying cattle with rotenone to control grubs is now a timely operation in some sections. Sheep are especially subject to parasites,

REPORTS SHOW FARM LOANS BEING PAID

Farm mortgages are still being paid off at a rapid rate in California, Nevada, Utah and Arizona, according to Willard D. Ellis, president of the Federal Land Bank of Berkeley. The yearly report just issued shows that 5,332 land bank and commissioner loans were paid off prior to maturity with approximately $13,300,000 during 1946. In 1945, 6,994 land band and commissioner loans were paid off, amounting to $16,000,000 in mortgages.

For 1946, principal payments on land bank and commissioner loans were in excess of $6,700,000, while loans closed for the past year amounted to $15,103,000.

N.S.G.W. RESUME TOURNEY PLAY

Judge Allen G. Norris, defending champion of the Native Sons of the Golden West Parlor No. 169 ping-pong tournament, was defeated in the first round of play Tuesday evening when the tourney was held for the first time since 1942. He was defeated in two out of three matches by Al Silviera at Hansen Hall.

Other winners in the championship division were Joe Duarte and Vernon Rose. Joe Rodrigues and Leland Silva emerged victors in their first round of play in the novice division.

Tournament play will be resumed at the Feb. 4 meeting.

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HOLIDAY IN MEXICO
—and—
The Hoosier Hotshots
COWBOY BLUES
CARTOON - NEWS

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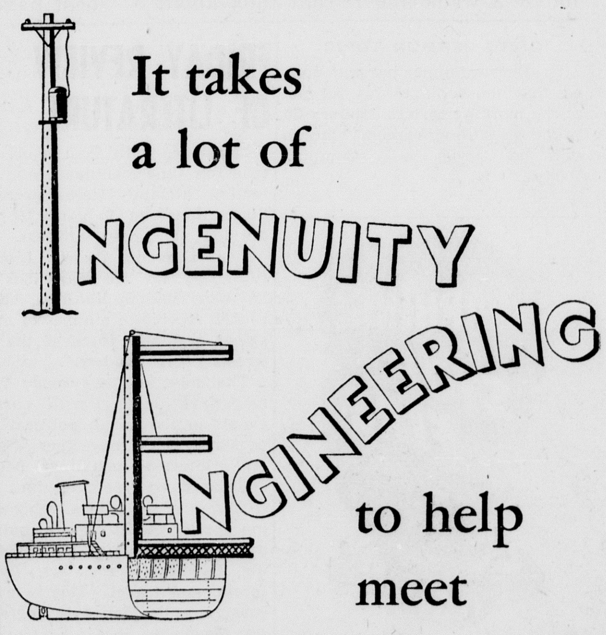

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